

2017 MUSHROOM FESTIVAL'S PAINTED MUSHROOM SILENT AUCTION STUDENTS ARTISTS WANTED

This year the Mushroom Festival is seeking student artists to paint the concrete garden stools for the annual Painted Mushroom Silent Auction. **Submit your sketch by May 31 for consideration.** Registration form is on the back.

Things to Know

1. All high school artists are encouraged to submit a sketch and entry form by May 31st to participate in the Mushroom Festival's Painted Mushroom Silent Auction
2. Eight finalists will be selected to paint the 108 lb. concrete garden mushroom stools.
3. The Painted Mushrooms will be part of a Silent Auction during the Mushroom Festival. Prizes will be awarded to the top three artists whose painted mushroom collects the most money at the Silent Auction and a special prize is awarded to the artist of the Painted Mushroom who wins the Viewer's Choice during the Mushroom Festival.
4. Prizes: \$300 for First Place, \$200 for Second Place, \$100 for Third Place and \$100 for the Viewer's Choice winner.
5. The Mushroom Festival will provide the primer and the sealant. Artists must provide their own paint.
6. These are outdoor garden stools. All mediums used to decorate the concrete mushroom must be compatible with the outdoors.
7. The concrete mushrooms will be available for pick-up by June 15. They must be picked up at Kennett Glass (112 W. State Street) between normal business hours. It takes two people to lift the concrete mushroom into a vehicle.
8. A credit card or a check for \$100 must be provided when picking up the concrete mushroom. The credit card will only be charged \$100 or the check will only be cashed if the concrete mushroom is not painted in time for the auction and not returned to the Festival.
9. JPG photos of the Painted Mushroom, an artist's statement and a bio of the artist are due to the Mushroom Festival by August 10 for placement on the Festival's website.
10. Painted Mushrooms MUST be delivered to the Mushroom Festival Office on Friday, September 8 from 10 am to 4 pm OR delivered to the Painted Mushroom Silent Auction booth (near the Kennett Inn) between 6 am and 8 am on Saturday, September 9.



All details and forms are online at mushroomfestival.org -- click on Painted Mushroom tab under Quick Links!
Questions? -- call 610-925-3373

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PAINTED MUSHROOM SILENT AUCTION ENTRY FORM

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT SKETCH AND ENTRY FORM: MAY 31, 2017

Name: _____

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

High School: _____

Brief artist's statement: _____

Return form to:
Mushroom Festival Inc.
P. O. Box 1000
Kennett Square, PA 19348

OR

Scan and email to:
themushroomfestival.org
(place Painted Mushroom entry in the subject line)

OR

Drop off at:
The Mushroom Cap
114 W. State Street
Kennett Square, PA 19348

Attach sketch to Entry Form

Student Applicant: Please initial each of the following statements:

_____ 1. I will abide by all rules and deadlines as outlined in the instructions.

_____ 2. The concrete mushrooms will be available for pick-up by June 15. They must be picked up at Kennett Glass (112 W. State Street) between normal business hours. It takes two people to lift the concrete mushroom into a vehicle.

_____ 3. A credit card or a check for \$100 must be provided when picking up the concrete mushroom. The credit card will only be charged \$100 or the check will only be cashed if the concrete mushroom is not painted in time for the auction and not returned to the Festival.

_____ 4. JPG photos of the Painted Mushroom and a bio of the artist are due to the Mushroom Festival by July 31 for placement on the Festival's website. This should be emailed to: themushroomfestival@gmail.com -- put Painted Mushroom and your name in the subject line.

_____ 5. Painted Mushrooms MUST be delivered to the Mushroom Festival Office on Friday, September 8 from 10 am to 4 pm OR delivered to the Painted Mushroom Silent Auction booth (near the Kennett Inn) between 6 am and 8 am on Saturday, September 9.

I understand the requirements of this contest and allow my child to participate.

(Parent's signature)

(Parent's contact number and/or email)

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One submission per student will be accepted